

Figure 1: Orthogonal View of Cross Section of Traces

Figure 2: END-ON VIEW OF TRACE SUSPENDED IN AIR Basic Structure of suspended substrate in printed wiring board (PCB)

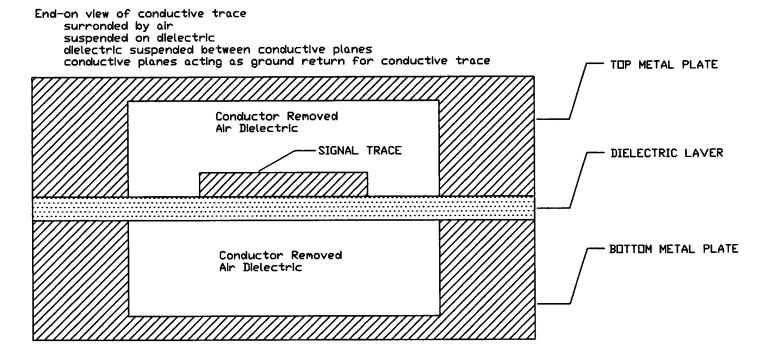


Figure 2A: END-ON VIEW OF TRACES SUSPENDED IN AIR Basic Structure of suspended substrate in printed wiring board (PCB)

End-on view of conductive traces surronded by air suspended on dielectric dielectric suspended between conductive planes conductive planes acting as ground return for conductive trace DIFFERENTIAL TRACES

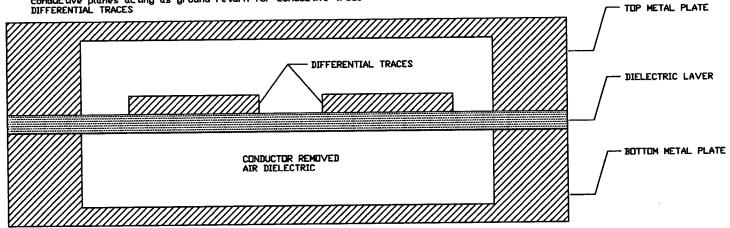


FIGURE 2B: END-ON VIEW OF TRACES SUSPENDED IN AIR
Basic Structure of suspended substrate
in printed wiring board (PCB)
End-on view of conductive traces
surronded by air
suspended on dielectric
dielectric suspended between conductive planes
conductive planes acting as ground return for conductive trace
DATA BUS

PARALLEL DATA BUS

TOP METAL PLATE

CONDUCTOR REMOVED
AIR DIELECTRIC

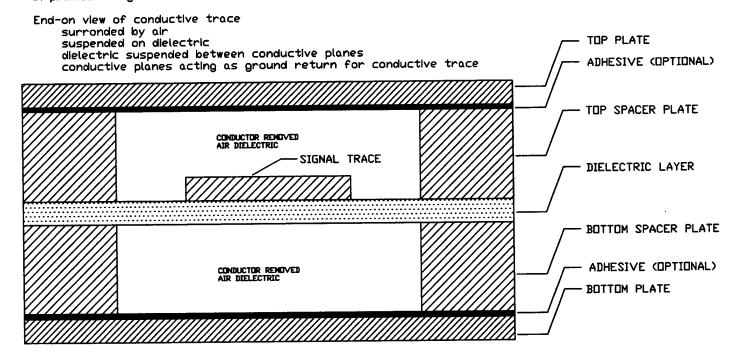
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Figure 3: END-ON VIEW OF TRACE (ALTERNATE CONSTRUCTION)

Basic Structure of suspended substrate in printed wiring board (PCB)



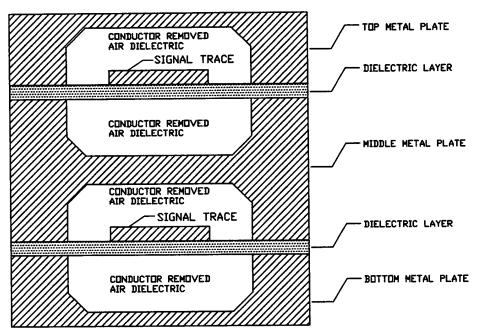


FIGURE 4: END-ON VIEW OF TRACES SUSPENDED IN AIR STRUCTURE OF TWO TRACES ON DIFFERENT LAYERS SUSPENDED SUBSTRATE IN PRINTED WIRING BOARD (PCB).

END-ON VIEW OF CONDUCTIVE TRACES
SURRONDED BY AIR
SUSPENDED ON DIELECTRIC
DIELECTRIC SUSPENDED BETWEEN CONDUCTIVE PLANES
CONDUCTIVE PLANES ACTING AS GROUND RETURN FOR CONDUCTIVE TRACES

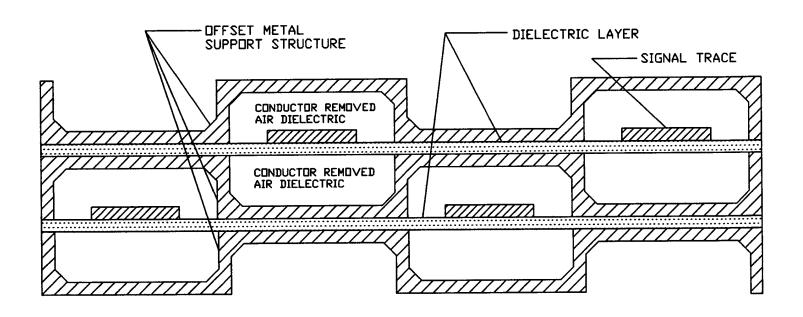


FIGURE 5: END-ON VIEW OF OFFSET CONDUCTIVE TRACES USING OFFSET METAL SUPPORT STRUCTURE.

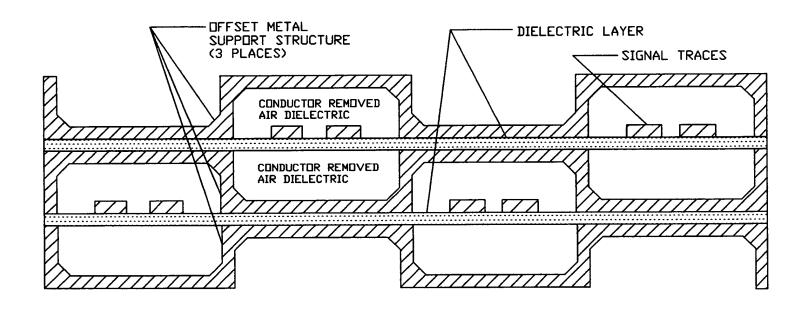


FIGURE 5A: END-ON VIEW OF OFFSET CONDUCTIVE TRACES USING OFFSET METAL SUPPORT STRUCTURE. AND DIFFERENTIAL TRACES